

# Cal OES Daily Situation Report

## December 27, 2015



Santa Barbara County Fire Department Engine 313 battling the Solimar Beach Fire in Ventura County

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Duty Officer	
EDO	Dan Bout
CSWC Watch Officer	Brian Smith (Day) Ronald DeMayo (Night)
FDO	Ken Hood
LDO	Paul Walters
IDO	Kim Lorenz
CDO	Memoree McIntire
SDO	Sherryl Jones
PIO	Brad Alexander
TDO	Jeff Howell
IT	Ellen Greco
EQTP	Christina Curry
Tribal Liaison POC	Denise Shemenski
Access and Functional Needs POC	Grace Koch / Vance Taylor

## National Terrorism Advisory System



Note: [Report updates are in blue](#)

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Level 1	Level 1	Level 1

### Solimar Incident, Solimar Beach, Ventura County

Location: Solimar Beach in Ventura County US 101 and State Route 33

Jurisdiction: SRA

Start Time: 2245 12/25/2015

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 at 0817 hours on 12/27/15:

- 1250 Acres, 70% Contained
- 100 Single Residences threatened

### **Infrastructure**

- Rail operations have resumed
- CUEA reports, as of 1312 hours on 12/26/15, no threats to utility infrastructure. The power grid is stable.

### **Shelters**

- The Red Cross Shelter has been deactivated.

### **Evacuations**

- All Evacuation Orders were lifted at 1700 hours, December 26, 2015.
- Emma Wood Camp Ground will remain closed until further notice.

### **Road Closures**

- Highway 101 has been reopened in both directions.
- Pacific Coast Highway has been reopened in both directions.

### **Emergency Management**

- The Ventura County EOC is at duty Officer Status
- A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) has been received by Cal OES. The incident does not yet meet FMAG criteria and has been placed on hold.
- No unmet needs or requests of the region

### **Resources**

- CAL FIRE ground resources assigned
- Cal OES Fire and Rescue Assistant Chief Dave Stone is on scene.
- Ventura County OES Duty Officer on scene at ICP

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

## **Weather of Concern**

- The next weather system will move across Northern California this afternoon into early Monday, it's a cold system dropping down from the Gulf of Alaska. Light snow could potentially impact the Northern Valley (including Redding) and many Sierra foothill communities.
- For Southern California, gusty northeast winds and cold temperatures will continue through this morning. Another trough will bring a chance of showers and mountain snow on Monday.

## **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

[http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:**

#### **Eureka Weather:**

A cold front will bring a period of rain and mountain snow to the area today. Late this afternoon through tonight showers are expected. Showers will diminish Monday as high pressure builds into the area and persists through Tuesday.

#### **Medford Weather:**

The main adjustment to the forecast was to add the Siskiyou Mountains into the Winter Weather Advisory that is in effect at elevations above 2000 feet today through tonight. The light snowfall will come in two doses the majority with the passage of a cold front from West to East this morning into this evening then additional post-frontal snow showers this evening into Monday morning. Accumulations will be light mainly 1 to 3 inches. But the impact could be greater than usual for an event of this magnitude due to an expected high volume of holiday season travelers.

#### **Reno Weather:**

Cold temperatures are expected into next week, with strong valley inversions through today. A weak low pressure will bring light snow showers tonight and Monday, with improved valley mixing on Monday. A weak system may bring light snow Wednesday for areas North and East of Susanville and Fallon. Inversions may return late next week as high pressure builds overhead.

#### **San Francisco Weather:**

After widespread freezing temperatures across the region this morning, our next weather system will bring light precipitation to much of the region this afternoon through Monday morning. Dry weather conditions will return Monday afternoon and evening and persist through at least late week. Temperatures will remain below seasonal averages through midweek with a slight warming trend late in the week as high pressure builds along the West Coast.



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## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:**

#### **Sacramento Weather:**

A cold weather system with potentially very low snow levels but limited moisture will impact interior Northern California late today into Monday. Otherwise, mainly dry weather continues.

#### **Hanford Weather:**

It will remain dry through tonight with near normal temperatures. An incoming low pressure system will bring an increase of clouds and precipitation to Central California by Monday morning. Best chances for precipitation will be in the Northern Sierra Nevada with scattered showers and breezy conditions elsewhere on Monday.

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

#### **Los Angeles Weather:**

Gusty northeast winds and cold temperatures will continue through this morning. Another trough will bring a chance of showers and mountain snow on Monday. A return to high pressure will bring a modest warm up by the end of the week.

#### **Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:**

Slightly warmer today with weaker winds with weak high pressure aloft. For Monday and Monday night another cold low pressure system from the Northwest will move across Southern California bringing cooling gusty west winds in the mountains and deserts and a period of showers mainly Monday afternoon and evening. For Tuesday through Thursday gradually warmer with periods of mostly weak offshore flow, slightly cooler for Friday and Saturday.

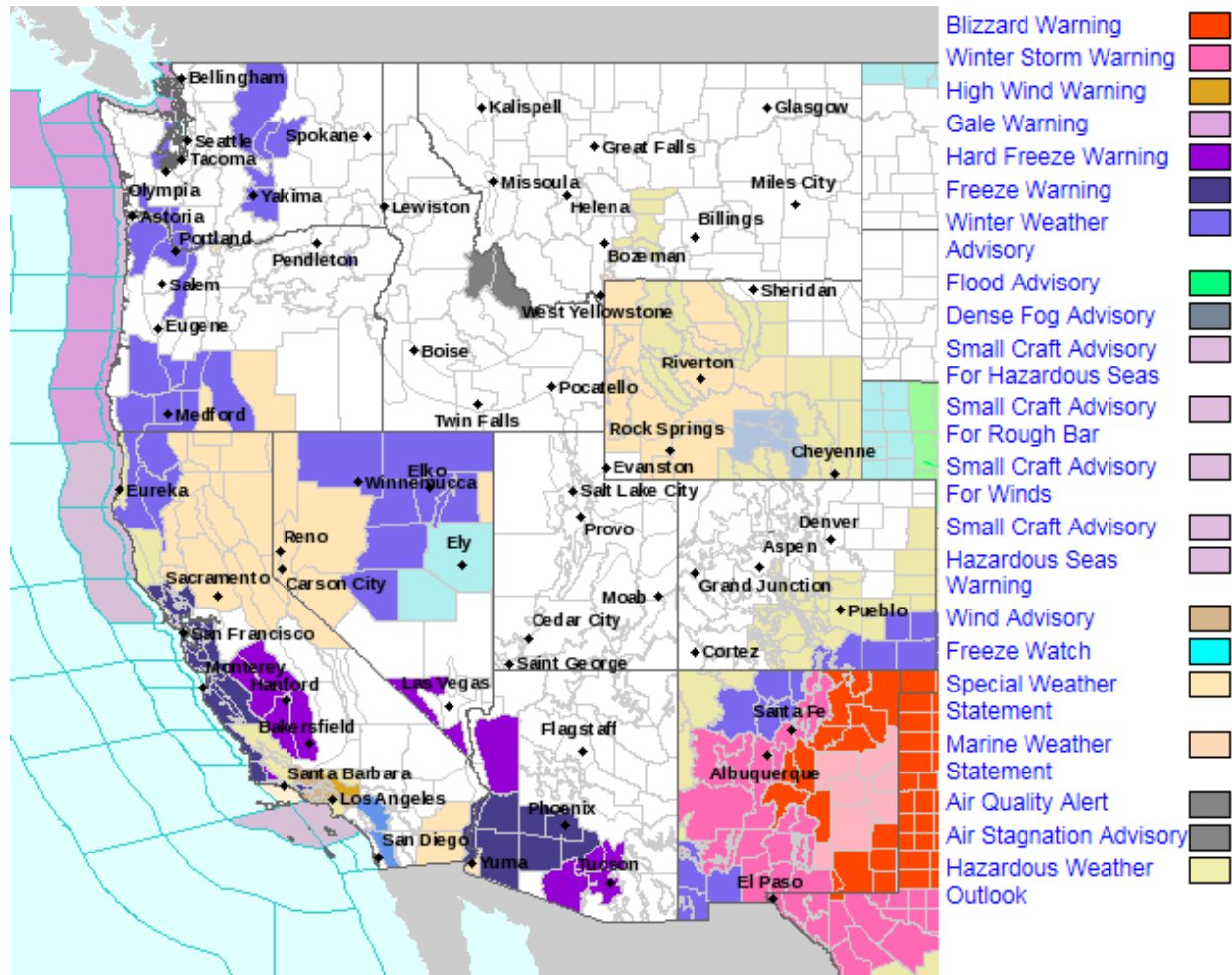
#### **Southeast California Weather:**

Cold temperatures are expected again today as low pressure exits the area. Near or slightly below freezing temperatures are anticipated over much of the Southwest Monday morning. Another low pressure system will move quickly through the region Monday night into Tuesday bringing chances of rain showers to the lower deserts and rain and snow showers to higher terrain areas along with cooler temperatures. Dry weather along with a steady warming trend is forecast from the middle of the week into next weekend.





# STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Dec, 27th 2015 at 10:28:09 am MST



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>



# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC and will be held once per month.

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### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

**A total of 63 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:**

- 29 Counties: Butte, Colusa, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 13 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

# CAL OES MISSIONS

## Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-20662 12/25/15, 2235 hrs.**, The California State Warning Center (CSWC) received a call from the Air Force Rescue Coordination Center (AFRCC) regarding an Emergency Locator Transmitter (ELT) sounding near Auburn, Placer County. The Placer County Sheriff was briefed. **12/26/15 at 1504 hours**, [The AFRCC has located and silenced the beacon, non-distress, at Lincoln Regional Airport/Karl Harder Field \(LHM\). Aircraft Tail Number: N2078A. Activation was due to annual inspection test. AFRCC mission number is 15M0784, and the AFRCC advised they will be closing out the mission on their side. 1511 Email sent to Law Enforcement Duty Officer \(LDO\), LDO confirmed receipt and requested mission closure.](#) **Mission closed**



**Mission:**

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

*We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.*